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**CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA)
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(Only for Continuation or Divisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(d))

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This is a request for a ☒ continuation or ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(d) (continued prosecution application or CPA) of prior application number 08 / 640,738, filed on May 6, 1996, entitled ULTRA HIGH MOLECULAR WEIGHT POLYETHYLENE MOLDED ARTICLE FOR ARTIFICIAL JOINTS AND METHOD OF PREPARING THE SAME

1. ☒ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on September 10, 1999 under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.

2. ☐ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.

3. This Application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 CFR 1.53 (d)(4).

a. ☐ DELETE the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:

b. ☐ The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet attached hereto.

4. ☐ A new power of attorney or authorization of agent (PTO/SB/81) is enclosed.

5. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed:

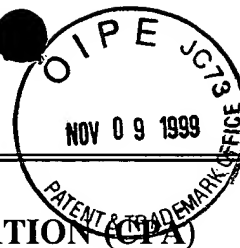
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Fee Transmittal The filing fee is calculated below	00040011 08640738 760.00 DP 156.00 DP	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee \$760.00
Total Claims		11 - 20	-0-	0 x \$18.00	0.00
Independent Claims		5 - 3	-2-	0 x \$78.00	156.00
Multiple Dependent Claims				\$260.00	0.00
				Basic Filing Fee	760.00
Reduction by 1/2 for small entity					0.00
TOTAL					916.00

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6. Small entity status:

- a. ☐ A small entity statement is enclosed.
- b. ☐ A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired.
- c. ☐ Is no longer claimed.

7. ☐ Please charge our Deposit Account No. **01-2340** in the total amount of _____. A duplicate of this sheet is attached.

[XX] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment for any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16, or fees for an Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **01-2340**. A duplicate of this sheet is attached.

8. [XX] A check in the amount of \$916.00 is enclosed. This check includes \$ 916.00 basic filing fee and no additional Petition for Extension of Time is necessary. (Notice of Appeal filed 9/10/99).

9. ☐ Other _____

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